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June 8, 2015

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Subject: Directive to Remediate Potential Environmental and Other Problems, Utah Minerals Recovery

LLC, Knolls Facility, S/045/0083, Tooele County, Utah

Dear Mr. Gwyn:

On June 2, 2015, Leslie Heppler inspected the Knolls Facility and noted problems that need to be resolved. These are discussed in greater detail in the enclosed inspection report.

Based on the inspection, Utah Minerals Recovery is directed to take the following actions by the dates indicated. Failure to do so may result in issuance of a notice of violation or cessation order.

- 1. By June 22, 2015, remove the vehicle (Ford Explorer) from the pond.
- 2. By June 22, 2015, submit an amendment to the Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (Notice) with updated contact and other information as needed. Please see the Division's March 11, 2014, letter concerning this issue.
- 3. By July 8, 2015, please remove trash and extra equipment not noted in the Notice.
- 4. By July 8, 2015, regrade the south dike of the south pond.

Please contact Leslie Heppler at 801-538-5257 if you need clarification about these issues. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Paul Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: Report for June 2, 2015, inspection

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